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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

SANTOS SALAS, an individual, and
ANITA GUTIERREZ, an individual

Plaintiffs,

v.

HILLTOP FINANCIAL MORTGAGE, INC., a
California corporation, ENCORE CREDIT
CORPORATION, a California corporation, and
ABRAHAM KABA, an individual,

Defendants.

Case No. C 04 1682 **EDL**
ORDER GRANTING
REQUEST FOR TELEPHONIC
APPEARANCE

DATE: Sept. 27, 2005
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
DEPT: E

COMPLAINT FILED 04/29/04

ENCORE CREDIT CORPORATION, a California
corporation,

Cross-Claimant,

v.

HILLTOP FINANCIAL MORTGAGE, INC., a
California corporation, and ABRAHAM KABA, an
individual,

Cross-Defendants.

1 TO THE COURT, ALL PARTIES, AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

2 Please take notice that James F. Geary, counsel for Defendants Hilltop Financial
3 Mortgage, Inc., a California corporation, and Ibrahim Kaba, an individual, hereby requests leave
4 to appear by telephone at the case management conference, scheduled for September 27, 2005,
5 at 10:00 a.m., in Courtroom E.

6 Counsel is located in Sacramento, California and would request for the sake of
7 efficiency and economy that he be allowed to appear telephonically. Counsel is aware of the
8 technological limitations of the Court's telephonic system and the requirements of the Court
9 regarding appearance by phone. He will conduct himself accordingly.

10 Respectfully submitted,

11 Dated: September 20, 2005

HUNTER RICHEY Di BENEDETTO & EISENBEIS, LLP

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14 By: /s/

James F. Geary
Attorneys for
Hilltop Financial Mortgage, Inc., a California
corporation, and Ibrahim Kaba, an individual

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17 IT IS SO ORDERED

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19 September 21, 2005



U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE
ELIZABETH D. LAPORTE